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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: BEXP, EWWT, GR
SUBJECT: COUNTRY-SERVICES-THESSALONIKI PORT
DEVELOPMENT

COMMERCE FOR OIM/SAD/CARTERON AND OED/MEPD

AID/SER/CFS M. DILEGGE

REF: (A) STATE 017822; (B) THESSALONIKI 37

1. EMBASSY HAS DISCUSSED FEASIBILITY STUDY WITH ETVA DIRECTOR FOR INDUSTRIAL AREAS, WHO IS RESPONSIBLE FOR AXIOS "EUROPORT." HE STATES THAT PRELIMINARY RECOMMENDATIONS PREPARED BY FRENCH EXPERT VALERIE MARTIER ARE NOW UNDER CONSIDERATION BY SPECIAL COMMITTEE HEADED BY THE MINISTER FOR NORTHERN GREECE MARTIS. DEPENDING ON FINDINGS, GOG WILL MAKE APPLICATION FOR INCLUSION OF AXIOS DEVELOPMENT ON LIST OF PROJECTS FOR IBRD OR EUROPEAN INVESTMENT BANK FINANCING. GOG OFFICIALS APPEAR NOT RPT NOT TO HAVE YET FORMULATED COST OF FEASIBILITY STUDY.

.2. FOR CARTERON: THESSALONIKI PORT PRESIDENT VALALAS AND TECHNICAL STAFF HAVE BEEN INVITED TO MEET WITH PORT AND SHIPYARD MISSION MEMBERS. TRANSPORTATION SPECIALIST NICHOLAS PAKIS OF MARITIME ADMINISTRATION (964-3548) RECENTLY COMPLETED TDY CONSULTATIONS WITH THESSALONIKI PORT ORGANIZATION AND IS THOROUGHLY FAMILIAR WITH EXPANSION PLANS. PAKIS MIGHT BE
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USEFUL ADDITION TO MISSION PRE-DEPARTURE BRIEFINGS. BELEIVE

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THAT MISSION MEETINGS WITH VALALAS AND OTHER PORT
OFFICIALS WILL ALSO BE GOOD OPPORTUNITY TO EMPHASIZE
EXIMBANK WILLINGNESS TO CONSIDER GOG APPLICATION
TO FINANCE FEASIBILITY STUDIES.
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